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**COMMENTS ON THE STATEMENT OF**  
**REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.104(e)**

Sir:

This communication is in response to the Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance set forth in the Notice of Allowability mailed September 29, 2004.

Applicant respectfully submits that the Examiner has identified a single reason for allowance of independent Claims 1, 3, 5, 9, 12, 14, 16, and 18-29 and, therefore, for allowance of dependent Claims 2, 4, 6-8, 10-11, 13, 15, and 17.

The independent claims (Claims 1, 3, 5, 9, 12, 14, 16, and 18-29) include additional patentable features and/or combinations of features not mentioned by the Examiner. Similarly, the dependent claims (Claims 2, 4, 6-8, 10-11, 13, 15, and 17) include additional patentable features and/or combinations of features not mentioned by the Examiner.

The undersigned is available for telephone consultation during normal business hours.

Respectfully submitted,

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